

NOT VOTING—21

Barragán	Jackson Lee	Pelosi
Crowley	Jeffries	Roybal-Allard
Davis, Danny	Jordan	Rush
Deutch	Kelly (PA)	Schakowsky
Gonzalez (TX)	Marino	Serrano
Gutiérrez	McEachin	Slaughter
Higgins (NY)	Payne	Vargas

□ 1128

Mses. TENNEY, JENKINS of Kansas, Mrs. NOEM, Messrs. SMITH of Missouri, STIVERS, MEADOWS, GALLAGHER, BURGESS, LAMALFA, WEBER of Texas, TIPTON, SMITH of Texas, CARTER of Texas, ROTHFUS, BABIN, GARRETT, DUNCAN of South Carolina, WESTERMAN, RODNEY DAVIS of Illinois, and Mmes. BLACKBURN and BLACK changed their vote from “no” to “aye.”

So the amendment was agreed to.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

Stated for:

Ms. BARRAGÁN. Mr. Chair, I was unavoidably detained. Had I been present, I would have voted “yea” on rollcall No. 170.

Ms. SCHAKOWSKY. Mr. Chair, I was unavoidably detained. Had I been present, I would have voted “yea” on rollcall No. 170.

Mr. GUTIERREZ. Mr. Chair, I was unavoidably absent in the House chamber for a rollcall vote on Friday, March 17, 2017. Had I been present, I would have voted “yea” on rollcall vote 170.

The Acting CHAIR. The question is on the amendment in the nature of a substitute, as amended.

The amendment was agreed to.

The Acting CHAIR. Under the rule, the Committee rises.

Accordingly, the Committee rose; and the Speaker pro tempore (Mr. FLEISCHMANN) having assumed the chair, Mr. HULTGREN, Acting Chair of the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union, reported that that Committee, having had under consideration the bill (H.R. 1367) to improve the authority of the Secretary of Veterans Affairs to hire and retain physicians and other employees of the Department of Veterans Affairs, and for other purposes, and, pursuant to House Resolution 198, he reported the bill back to the House with an amendment adopted in the Committee of the Whole.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Under the rule, the previous question is ordered.

Is a separate vote demanded on any amendment to the amendment reported from the Committee of the Whole?

If not, the question is on the amendment in the nature of a substitute, as amended.

The amendment was agreed to.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on the engrossment and third reading of the bill.

The bill was ordered to be engrossed and read a third time, and was read the third time.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on the passage of the bill.

The question was taken; and the Speaker pro tempore announced that the ayes appeared to have it.

Mr. WENSTRUP. Mr. Speaker, on that I demand the yeas and nays.

The yeas and nays were ordered.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to clause 8 of rule XX, this 5-minute vote on passage of the bill will be followed by a 5-minute vote on agreeing to the Speaker's approval of the Journal, if ordered.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—yeas 412, nays 0, not voting 17, as follows:

[Roll No. 171]

YEAS—412

Abraham	Correa	Hastings
Adams	Costa	Heck
Aderholt	Costello (PA)	Hensarling
Aguilar	Courtney	Herrera Beutler
Allen	Cramer	Hice, Jody B.
Amash	Crawford	Higgins (LA)
Amodei	Crist	Hill
Arrington	Cuellar	Himes
Babin	Culberson	Holding
Bacon	Cummings	Hollingsworth
Banks (IN)	Curbelo (FL)	Hoyer
Barletta	Davidson	Hudson
Barr	Davis (CA)	Huffman
Barragán	Davis, Rodney	Huizenga
Barton	DeFazio	Hultgren
Bass	DeGette	Hunter
Beatty	Delaney	Hurd
Bera	DeLauro	Issa
Bergman	DelBene	Jackson Lee
Beyer	Demings	Jayapal
Biggs	Denham	Jenkins (KS)
Bilirakis	Dent	Jenkins (WV)
Bishop (GA)	DeSantis	Johnson (GA)
Bishop (MI)	DeSaulnier	Johnson (LA)
Bishop (UT)	DesJarlais	Johnson (OH)
Black	Diaz-Balart	Johnson, E. B.
Blackburn	Dingell	Johnson, Sam
Blum	Doggett	Jones
Blumenauer	Donovan	Joyce (OH)
Blunt Rochester	Doyle, Michael	Kaptur
Bonamici	F.	Katko
Bost	Duffy	Keating
Boyle, Brendan	Duncan (SC)	Kelly (IL)
F.	Duncan (TN)	Kelly (MS)
Brady (PA)	Dunn	Kennedy
Brat	Ellison	Khanna
Bridenstine	Emmer	Kihuen
Brooks (AL)	Eshoo	Kildee
Brooks (IN)	Españillat	Kilmer
Brown (MD)	Esty	Kind
Brownley (CA)	Evans	King (IA)
Buchanan	Farenthold	King (NY)
Buck	Faso	Kinzinger
Bucshon	Ferguson	Knight
Budd	Fitzpatrick	Krishnamoorthi
Burgess	Fleischmann	Kuster (NH)
Bustos	Flores	Kustoff (TN)
Butterfield	Fortenberry	Labrador
Byrne	Foster	LaHood
Calvert	Fox	LaMalfa
Capuano	Frankel (FL)	Lamborn
Carbajal	Franks (AZ)	Lance
Cárdenas	Frelinghuysen	Langevin
Carson (IN)	Fudge	Larsen (WA)
Carter (GA)	Gabbard	Larson (CT)
Carter (TX)	Gaetz	Latta
Cartwright	Gallagher	Lawrence
Castor (FL)	Gallego	Lawson (FL)
Castro (TX)	Garamendi	Lee
Chabot	Garrett	Levin
Chaffetz	Gibbs	Lewis (GA)
Cheney	Gohmert	Lewis (MN)
Chu, Judy	Goodlatte	Lieu, Ted
Cicilline	Gosar	Lipinski
Clark (MA)	Gottheimer	LoBiondo
Clarke (NY)	Gowdy	Loeb
Clay	Granger	Lofgren
Cleaver	Graves (GA)	Long
Clyburn	Graves (LA)	Loudermilk
Coffman	Graves (MO)	Love
Cohen	Green, Al	Lowenthal
Cole	Green, Gene	Lowe
Collins (GA)	Griffith	Lucas
Collins (NY)	Grijalva	Luetkemeyer
Comer	Grothman	Lujan Grisham,
Comstock	Guthrie	M.
Conaway	Gutiérrez	Luján, Ben Ray
Connolly	Hanabusa	Lynch
Conyers	Harper	MacArthur
Cook	Harris	Maloney,
Cooper	Hartzler	Carolyn B.

Maloney, Sean	Price (NC)	Smucker
Marchant	Quigley	Soto
Marshall	Raskin	Speier
Massie	Ratcliffe	Stefanik
Mast	Reed	Stewart
Matsui	Reichert	Stivers
McCarthy	Renacci	Suozzi
McCaul	Rice (NY)	Swalwell (CA)
McClintock	Rice (SC)	Takano
McCollum	Richmond	Taylor
McGovern	Roby	Tenney
McHenry	Roe (TN)	Thompson (CA)
McKinley	Rogers (AL)	Thompson (MS)
McMorris	Rogers (KY)	Thompson (PA)
Rodgers	Rohrabacher	Thornberry
McNerney	Rokita	Tiberi
McSally	Rooney, Francis	Tipton
Meadows	Rooney, Thomas	Titus
Meehan	J.	Tonko
Meeks	Ros-Lehtinen	Torres
Costa	Rosen	Trott
Meng	Roskam	Tsongas
Messer	Ross	Turner
Mitchell	Rothfus	Upton
Moolenaar	Rouzer	Valadao
Mooney (WV)	Roybal-Allard	Vargas
Moore	Royce (CA)	Veasey
Moulton	Ruiz	Vela
Mullin	Ruppersberger	Velázquez
Murphy (FL)	Russell	Visclosky
Murphy (PA)	Rutherford	Wagner
Nadler	Ryan (OH)	Walberg
Napolitano	Sanford	Walden
Neal	Sarbanes	Walker
Newhouse	Scalise	Walorski
Noem	Schakowsky	Walters, Mimi
Nolan	Schiff	Walz
Norcross	Schneider	Wasserman
Nunes	Schrader	Schultz
O'Halleran	Schweikert	Waters, Maxine
O'Rourke	Scott (VA)	Watson Coleman
Olson	Scott, Austin	Weber (TX)
Palazzo	Scott, David	Webster (FL)
Pallone	Sensenbrenner	Welch
Palmer	Serrano	Wenstrup
Panetta	Sessions	Westerman
Pascarella	Sewell (AL)	Williams
Paulsen	Shea-Porter	Wilson (FL)
Pearce	Sherman	Wilson (SC)
Perlmutter	Shimkus	Wittman
Perry	Shuster	Womack
Peters	Simpson	Woodall
Peterson	Sinema	Yarmuth
Pingree	Sires	Yoder
Pittenger	Smith (MO)	Yoho
Pocan	Smith (NE)	Young (AK)
Poe (TX)	Smith (NJ)	Young (IA)
Poliquin	Smith (TX)	Zeldin
Polis	Smith (WA)	
Posey		

NOT VOTING—17

Brady (TX)	Higgins (NY)	Payne
Crowley	Jeffries	Pelosi
Davis, Danny	Jordan	Rush
Deutch	Kelly (PA)	Sánchez
Engel	Marino	Slaughter
Gonzalez (TX)	McEachin	

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

The SPEAKER pro tempore (Mr. HULTGREN) (during the vote). There are 2 minutes remaining.

□ 1136

So the bill was passed.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

Stated for:

Mr. ENGEL. Mr. Speaker, I was unavoidably detained. Had I been present, I would have voted “yea” on rollcall No. 171.

Mr. BRADY of Texas. Mr. Speaker, on rollcall No. 171 I was unavoidably detained to cast my vote in time. Had I been present, I would have voted “yes.”

THE JOURNAL

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The unfinished business is the question on agreeing to the Speaker's approval of

the Journal, which the Chair will put de novo.

The question is on the Speaker's approval of the Journal.

The question was taken; and the Speaker pro tempore announced that the ayes appeared to have it.

RECORDED VOTE

Mr. ROE of Tennessee. Mr. Speaker, I demand a recorded vote.

A recorded vote was ordered.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. This is a 5-minute vote.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—ayes 246, noes 143, answered “present” 2, not voting 38, as follows:

[Roll No. 172]

AYES—246

Abraham	Espallat	McCarthy
Adams	Esty	McCaul
Aderholt	Farenthold	McClintock
Allen	Faso	McCollum
Arrington	Ferguson	McHenry
Babin	Fleischmann	McMorris
Bacon	Fortenberry	Rodgers
Banks (IN)	Foster	McNerney
Barletta	Frankel (FL)	Meadows
Barr	Franks (AZ)	Meehan
Barton	Frelinghuysen	Meeks
Beatty	Gabbard	Meng
Bilirakis	Gallego	Messer
Bishop (MI)	Garamendi	Mitchell
Bishop (UT)	Garrett	Moolenaar
Black	Goodlatte	Mooney (WV)
Blumenauer	Gowdy	Moore
Blunt Rochester	Granger	Moulton
Bonamici	Green, Al	Mullin
Brady (TX)	Griffith	Murphy (FL)
Brat	Grijalva	Nadler
Bridenstine	Guthrie	Newhouse
Brooks (AL)	Hanabusa	Noem
Brooks (IN)	Harris	Norcross
Buchanan	Hartzler	Nunes
Budd	Hastings	O'Rourke
Bustos	Heck	Olson
Butterfield	Hensarling	Palmer
Byrne	Higgins (LA)	Panetta
Calvert	Himes	Perlmutter
Carter (TX)	Hollingsworth	Perry
Cartwright	Huffman	Pingree
Castro (TX)	Hultgren	Pocan
Chabot	Hunter	Polis
Cheney	Issa	Posey
Chu, Judy	Jayapal	Richmond
Ciциline	Johnson (GA)	Roby
Clark (MA)	Johnson (LA)	Roe (TN)
Clay	Johnson, E. B.	Rogers (AL)
Cleaver	Johnson, Sam	Rogers (KY)
Clyburn	Kaptur	Rooney, Francis
Cole	Keating	Rooney, Thomas
Collins (NY)	Kelly (IL)	J.
Comer	Kelly (MS)	Ros-Lehtinen
Comstock	Kennedy	Rothfus
Connolly	Khanna	Royce (CA)
Conyers	Kildee	Ruppersberger
Cook	Kind	Russell
Cooper	King (IA)	Rutherford
Correa	King (NY)	Sanford
Courtney	Krishnamoorthi	Scalise
Cramer	Kuster (NH)	Schiff
Crawford	Kustoff (TN)	Schneider
Cuellar	Labrador	Schweikert
Culberson	Lamborn	Scott (VA)
Davidson	Larson (CT)	Scott, Austin
Davis (CA)	Latta	Scott, David
DeGette	Lawson (FL)	Sensenbrenner
DeLauro	Lewis (GA)	Serrano
DelBene	Lewis (MN)	Sessions
Demings	Lipinski	Sewell (AL)
Dent	Lofgren	Shea-Porter
DeSaulnier	Long	Sherman
DesJarlais	Loudermilk	Shimkus
Diaz-Balart	Love	Shuster
Dingell	Lowenthal	Sinema
Doggett	Lucas	Smith (NE)
Donovan	Luetkemeyer	Smith (NJ)
Duncan (SC)	Lujan Grisham,	Smith (TX)
Dunn	M.	Smith (WA)
Ellison	Maloney,	Smucker
Emmer	Carolyn B.	Soto
Engel	Marshall	Speier
Eshoo	Massie	Stefanik

Stewart
Suozzi
Swalwell (CA)
Takano
Taylor
Thornberry
Tiberi
Titus
Torres
Trott

Tsongas
Vela
Velázquez
Walker
Walorski
Walters, Mimi
Walz
Wasserman
Schultz
Waters, Maxine

Welch
Wenstrup
Williams
Wilson (FL)
Wilson (SC)
Womack
Yarmuth
Young (IA)
Zeldin

NOES—143

Aguilar
Amash
Barragán
Bass
Bera
Bergman
Beyer
Biggs
Bishop (GA)
Blum
Bost
Boyle, Brendan
F.

Brady (PA)
Brownley (CA)
Buck
Burgess
Capuano
Cárdenas
Carson (IN)
Carter (GA)
Castor (FL)
Chaffetz
Clarke (NY)
Coffman
Cohen
Collins (GA)
Conaway
Costa
Costello (PA)
Crist
Crowley
Cummings
Curbelo (FL)
Davis, Rodney
DeFazio
Denham
DeSantis
Duffy
Evans
Fitzpatrick
Flores
Foxy
Fudge
Gaetz
Gallagher
Gibbs

Gosar
Gottheimer
Graves (GA)
Graves (MO)
Green, Gene
Gutiérrez
Herrera Beutler
Hice, Jody B.
Hill
Holding
Hoyer
Hudson
Huizenga
Hurd
Jackson Lee
Jenkins (KS)
Jenkins (WV)
Johnson (OH)
Jones
Kihuen
Kilmer
Kinzinger
Knight
LaHood
Lance
Langevin
Lawrence
Lee
Levin
Lieu, Ted
LoBiondo
Loeb sack
Lowey
Luján, Ben Ray
Lynch
MacArthur
Maloney, Sean
Marchant
Mast
Matsui
McGovern
McKinley
McSally
Murphy (PA)
Neal
Nolan
O'Halleran
Palazzo

Pallone
Paulsen
Pelosi
Peters
Peterson
Pittenger
Poe (TX)
Poliquin
Price (NC)
Raskin
Ratcliffe
Reed
Reichert
Rice (NY)
Rohrabacher
Rokita
Rosen
Rouzer
Roybal-Allard
Ruiz
Ryan (OH)
Sanchez
Sarbanes
Schakowsky
Schrader
Sires
Smith (MO)
Stivers
Thompson (CA)
Thompson (MS)
Thompson (PA)
Tipton
Turner
Upton
Valadao
Vargas
Veasey
Visclosky
Walberg
Walden
Watson Coleman
Weber (TX)
Westerman
Wittman
Woodall
Yoder
Yoho
Young (AK)

ANSWERED “PRESENT”—2

Rice (SC)

Tonko

NOT VOTING—38

Amodei
Blackburn
Brown (MD)
Bucshon
Davis, Danny
Delaney
Deutch
Doyle, Michael
F.
Duncan (TN)
Gohmert
Gonzalez (TX)
Graves (LA)

Grothman
Harper
Higgins (NY)
Jeffries
Jordan
Joyce (OH)
Katko
Kelly (PA)
LaMalfa
Larsen (WA)
Marino
McEachin
Napolitano

Pascrell
Payne
Pearce
Quigley
Renacci
Roskam
Ross
Rush
Simpson
Slaughter
Tenney
Wagner
Webster (FL)

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

The SPEAKER pro tempore (Mr. DUNN) (during the vote). There are 2 minutes remaining.

□ 1144

So the Journal was approved.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

Stated for:

Mr. GRAVES of Louisiana. Mr. Speaker, I was unavoidably detained. Had I been present, I would have voted “yea” on rollcall No. 172.

PERSONAL EXPLANATION

Ms. SLAUGHTER. Mr. Speaker, I was unavoidably detained and missed rollcall vote

Nos. 170, 171, and 172. Had I been present, I would have voted Aye on roll call vote Nos. 170 and 171. I would have voted “nay” on roll-call vote No. 172.

LEGISLATIVE PROGRAM

(Mr. HOYER asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute.)

Mr. HOYER. Mr. Speaker, I rise for the purpose of inquiring of the majority leader the schedule for the week to come, and it is my pleasure to yield to the gentleman from California (Mr. MCCARTHY), the majority leader.

(Mr. MCCARTHY asked and was given permission to revise and extend his remarks.)

Mr. MCCARTHY. Mr. Speaker, before I begin, I do want to wish everybody a happy St. Patrick's Day.

Mr. Speaker, on Monday, the House will meet at noon for morning hour and 2 p.m. for legislative business. Votes will be postponed until 6:30.

On Tuesday and Wednesday, the House will meet at 10 a.m. for morning hour and noon for legislative business.

On Thursday, the House will meet at 9 a.m. for legislative business. Mr. Speaker, late votes are likely in the House on Thursday, and Members are advised to adjust their schedules accordingly.

Mr. Speaker, the House will consider a number of suspensions next week, a complete list of which will be announced at close of business today.

In addition, the House will consider several critical pieces of the Republican plan to repeal and replace ObamaCare:

First, H.R. 372, the Competitive Health Insurance Reform Act, sponsored by Representative PAUL GOSAR, creates competition in the healthcare market by eliminating antitrust protection for insurance providers.

Next, H.R. 1101, the Small Business Health Fairness Act, sponsored by Representative SAM JOHNSON of Texas, allows small businesses to pool together and purchase plans, an important step toward purchasing health care across State lines.

Finally, Mr. Speaker, we will consider the FY 2017 reconciliation bill, also known as the American Health Care Act. This bill eliminates the many taxes and mandates of ObamaCare. It gives patients enhanced tools to take control of their healthcare decisions, and it expands choice so Americans are free to pick the plan that is best for themselves and their families.

Mr. Speaker, it is known that ObamaCare is failing, and we have a responsibility to provide Americans relief. These bills are the result of much deliberation and hard work, and their passage will help create a competitive marketplace that provides high-quality care at an affordable cost.

Mr. HOYER. Mr. Speaker, I must hasten to add that the gentleman from California added a little comment that